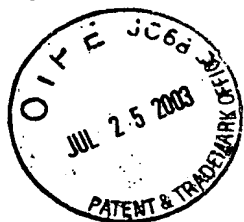


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Applicant : H. YAMAMURA et al.
 Serial No. : 10/031,349
 Filed : January 11, 2002
 For : COOLING DRUM FOR CONTINUOUSLY CASTING THIN CAST PIECE
 AND FABRICATING METHOD AND DEVICE THEREFOR AND THIN
 CAST PIECE AND CONTINUOUS CASTING METHOD THEREFOR

Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment/Response in the
 above-identified patent application.

[X] No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

SMALL ENTITY					OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. OR FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL 22	MINUS 25	= 0	x6= \$		x18= \$	0	
INDEP. 22	MINUS 25	= 0	x18= \$		x84= \$	0 .00	
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE			x60= \$		x280= \$	0 .00	
DEP. CLAIM	TOTAL						
	ADDIT. FEE		\$	OR	\$	0 .00	

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

[X] A petition for a three (3) month extension of time and Deposit Account authorization to cover the extension fee are enclosed.

[] Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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